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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

10 PAUL SORRELLS,

11 Plaintiff,

12 vs.

13 NANCY A. BERRYHILL,
14 Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

15 Defendant.

Civil No. 2:17-CV-727-BAT

ORDER

16 Pursuant to the parties' stipulated motion, the Court hereby Orders that the
17 Commissioner's final decision should be reversed and remanded for further administrative
18 proceedings and a new decision under the fourth sentence of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Upon remand,
19 the ALJ will reevaluate the evidence of Plaintiff's substance abuse and compare it to Plaintiff's
20 functioning without substance abuse in order to determine its effect on Plaintiff's impairments
21 and his functioning. The ALJ will apply the sequential evaluation to determine whether Plaintiff
22 is disabled.

23 Upon proper application, Plaintiff may seek an award of reasonable attorney's fees under
24 the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412, et seq.

1 DATED this 15th day of September, 2017.

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4 BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA
United States Magistrate Judge

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